## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE

TOMMIE SLACK,

Plaintiff,

Case No. C20-05508-RSM-SKV

v.

SARAH KARIKO, et al.,

ORDER GRANTING IN PART AND DENYING IN PART MOTION TO STAY OR EXTEND PRETRIAL DEADLINES

Defendant.

This is a 42 U.SC. § 1983 civil rights action. Defendants currently have a pending motion for summary judgment which will be ripe for consideration on December 16, 2022. Dkt. 115. Defendants now move to stay the trial date and remaining pretrial deadlines in the case pending a decision on their motion for summary judgment or, alternatively, for a ninety (90) day extension of the trial date and remaining pretrial deadlines. Dkt. 121. Defendants argue that the Court's ruling on Defendants' motion for summary judgment will necessarily impact the scope of this case going forward, and that it is difficult to comply with the pretrial deadlines without knowing which claims, if any, will proceed to trial. *Id.* Plaintiff did not oppose or otherwise

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Having reviewed the Defendants' motion and the relevant record the Court hereby

## **ORDERS**:

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respond to Defendants' motion.

(1) The Defendants' motion to stay or extend the trial and pretrial deadlines, Dkt. 121, is GRANTED in part and DENIED in part. The request for a stay of the remaining deadlines is denied. The alternative request for an extension of the remaining deadlines is granted.

(2) The remaining deadlines in the case are extended, and the pretrial scheduling order is amended, as follows:

Event	Date
JURY TRIAL SET FOR 9:00am on	5/15/2023
Length of trial	4-6 days
Settlement Conference per LCR 39.1(c)(2) held no later than	2/15/2023
Mediation per LCR 39.1(c) held no later than	3/15/2023
All motions in limine must be filed by this date and noted for consideration no earlier than the third Friday after filing but no later than the Friday before the pretrial conference (see LCR 7(d)(4))	4/17/2023
Agreed LCR 16.1 Pretrial Order due	5/3/2023
Trial briefs, proposed voir dire questions, proposed jury instructions, deposition designations, and exhibits due by this date; Counsel are to confer and indicate with their submissions which exhibits are agreed to	5/8/2023
Pretrial conference	To be set as needed

(3) The Clerk is directed to provide a copy of this order to the parties and to Judge Martinez. Dated this 7<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2022.

> S. KATE VAUGHAN United States Magistrate Judge